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Rajiv Yadav RANJAN, et al.

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For: USE OF OXYGEN-CONTAINING GASES IN FABRICATION OF GRANULAR PERPENDICULAR MAGNETIC

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Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

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<u>Transmitted</u> herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	24	24	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	3	3	0	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
		Multiple dependent claims newly presented		\$0.00	
		Fee for extension of time			\$0.00
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		Total of Above Calculations			\$0.00

Please charge my Deposit Account No. <u>500417</u> in the amount of \$0.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.

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Respectfully submitted,

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## **AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

These amendments and remarks are being filed in response to the Office Action mailed May 18, 2006.

Amendment to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendment to the Claims begin on page 5.

Remarks begin on page 12.